WE HATE SOME PERSONS BECAUSE WE DO NOT KNOW THEM: AND WE WILL NOT KNOW THEM BECAUSE WE HATE THEM.—Colton

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THE LEGISLATURE

by Chick Evans

Eleven uneventful weeks of legislating came to an end. Seductive March weather encouraged the illusion of running sap and chirping birds, and lawmakers began thinking about that final trip to Augusta and back home. It was almost the first day of Spring, the tree experts were cleaning up the deadwood around the Blaine House across the street, and the wonder about "How much longer before we go home?" was being expressed for the first time.

The old timers who came to town for "Welcome Back Day" knew better than anyone else that nothing speeds up a legislative session more effectively than the coming of Spring. If the 98th Legislature is to have one memorable conflict, it will have to come soon, or not at all.

Welcome Back Day. The names that made legislative history in years past became real people who walked the corridors of the old State House to help celebrate "Welcome Back Day" last week. Everyone had a fine time and an unofficial vote of thanks went to Rep Frank M Pierce (R-Bucksport, Rep Lucia M Cormier (D-Rumford), and Rep Robert W Maxwell (R-Winthrop), the committee that planned the happy event.

The "old timers" filled the hallways in the morning of the special day and then attended the afternoon session in the House, some to sit in their old seats. Governor Muskie and Senate President Robert N Haskell occupied their former seats by Legislative order.

Former Speakers of the House were given a place of honor on the rostrum during the session. They included Burleigh Martin, Augusta, 1927; Donald W Philbrick, Cape Elizabeth, 1937; John Ward, Millinocket, 1947; William S Silsby, Aurora, 1951; Roswell P Bates, Orono, 1953; and Willis A Trafton, Jr., Auburn, 1955.

The Governor delivered a brief welcome message and, for their respective parties Rep Harry I Rollins (R-Belfast) and Rep Napoleon L Nadeau (D-Biddeford), offered greetings. Among the oldest legislators present was Lawrence M Carroll of Norway, 89, who served in 1921. One of the oldest in term of service was Allison P Howes, 72, of Palmyra, who was in the House in 1905.

"Agency" Liquor Sales. The bill permitting the operation of "agency" liquor stores in small towns, filed by the chairman of the Liquor Control Committee, Sen Miles F Carpenter (R-Somerset) is expected to be out this week with a majority "ought to pass" report. It is expected that the report will offer an amendment that the matter be submitted to referendum. Favored by the State Liquor Commission, this measure would authorize liquor outlets in communities which have voted in favor of liquor stores but which have too few customers to make a state operation profitable. Agencies would be let out on bid to reputable merchants whose profit would be limited to a maximum of three percent of gross sales.

Portland Branch of U. of M. March 20 was the date selected for hearing on the bill which proposes to make Portland Junior College a branch of the University of Maine. The measure was scheduled by the Education Committee. At the same time a bill, appropriating $71,500 for building science laboratories at

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

A very interesting meeting of the Western Maine Manager's Associations was held in Wilton, March 20th at six thirty p. m. Eight towns were represented with several guests and their wives. Several municipal topics were considered. One direct benefit to Bethel is an offer of some free engineering service on the problem of the West Bethel sewer problem by one of the supply companies.

Howard E Kyes for some time Town Clerk in Wilton gave a very fine talk on "Boys State" this as many of you know is an opportunity for Maine boys to gather at the University of Maine for a few days and learn something about Town and State Government. They are assisted by men who are trained and active in various types of government.

Do we have in Bethel some organizations who are willing to sponsor one or more boys from Bethel to attend this worthwhile gathering and help prepare them for the future need in public affairs?

Thank you.

O. T. Rozelle

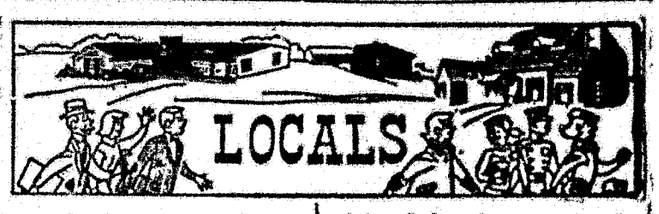
BETHEL PARENT-TEACHERS ENJOY MUSICAL PROGRAM

The Bethel PTA met at Crescent Park School Tuesday evening. A musical program was presented by the pupils of Mrs Arlene Brown, Mrs Phyllis King, Mrs Edith Eyper, Mrs Florence Emery, Miss Gerry King and Walter Marcuse.

The program: Accordion solo, Fred Lincoln; piano solo, Elizabeth Waldron; piano trio, Rachel and Rebecca Keniston and Vicky Robertson; accordion duet, Barry Salway and Larry Billings; piano solo, Robert Saunders; piano solo, Cheryl Douglass; trumpet duet, Dwight Lord and Beth Ann Brown; piano solo, Linda Paine; piano solo, Marijane Brown; clarinet solo, Claire Berry; piano solo, Nancy Cole; accordion solo, Lorenda Freeman; piano solo, Carol Flint.

At the business meeting a nominating committee was appointed, consisting of Dana Douglass Jr., Mrs Jay Willard, and Mrs Stanley Feltier.

The attendance banner was won by the eighth grade, thus keeping its perfect record for the year. It was voted to give $500 to be used on the Pony League baseball field. The next meeting will be held on April 23 instead of April 16 because of school vacation.



Perry Lapham is a patient at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

Mrs Violet Bennett expects to spend the week end with Mr and Mrs William Gile in Agawam, Mass.

Mr and Mrs Stanley Brown and family have moved to one of Dick Young's apartments on Clark Street.

Mr and Mrs Earl Davis and Mr and Mrs Robert Keniston attended the Sportsman's Show in Portland on Friday.

Richard Douglass and Neal Merrill are leaving Friday, March 22, for Fort Belvoir, Va., for training with the Reserves. They will be there two weeks.

Nathan French is critically ill. His address is 1302A Knox Road, China Lake, Calif. He has previously made his home with his daughter, Mrs Clayton Fossett, in Bethel.

MRS. BARBARA FERGUSON TENDERED STORK SHOWER

Mrs Barbara Ferguson was honor guest at a baby shower on Saturday evening, March 9, at the home of Mrs Lewis Cole, Sr., with Mrs Betty Cole as hostess. Gifts were arranged in a baby carriage and the centerpiece of the refreshment table was a lovely shower cake, decorated in soft pastels.

Those present were Mrs Daisy LeClair, Mrs Lillian Young, Mrs Blanche Bennett, Mrs Alice McAllister, Mrs Irene Cramer, Mrs Sadie Saunders, Mrs Ida Lurvey, Mrs Beverly Melville, Miss Betterae Cole, Mrs Lewis Cole Sr., Mrs Betty Cole and Mrs Barbara Ferguson.

Those sending gifts were Mrs Leah Swain, Mrs Dorothy Onofrio, Mrs Father Brown, Mrs Eleanor Buker, Mrs Dorothy Brinck, Mrs Peggy Blake, Myrna and Kay Blake, Mrs Daisy McAllister and Mrs Becky Kendall.

Arlan Jodrey is recovering from surgery which he underwent at the Maine Medical Center, Portland, Friday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Grant of Monmouth called on Mr and Mrs Guy Rice and family, Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Al Baker and Mr and Mrs Yves Corriveau visited Mr and Mrs Norman Davis in Lovell on Sunday.

Robert Chadbourne, son of Mr and Mrs Philip H Chadbourne, has received his junior varsity letter award for participating on the ski team at Kimball Union Academy, Meriden, N. H.

Week end guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Irving Cummings were George Cummings of New York City and Mr and Mrs Hermon Cummings Jr. of Newport, R. I. Mrs Nellie Cummings returned with Mr and Mrs Hermon Cummings Jr. for a visit.

COUNTY 4-H NEWS

The April leaders' meeting will be held Tuesday evening, April 9, with Mrs Pauline Lush, Extension Home Management Specialist, speaking on the 4-H Home Improvement project.

On Tuesday, April 16, Jack Gunter, Extension Livestock specialist, will be in the county to make calls on baby beef members in the evening, the Busy Workers 4-H Club of Canton Point will be hosts for a county beef and lamb meeting.

The Oxford County 4-H Style Dress Revue will be held at eight o'clock Friday evening, April 26 at the South Paris High School gymnasium. All parents and friends are invited to attend.

The senior dresses will be due in the county office by Friday noon, April 19, to be judged for construction. The day previous to the dress revue, April 25, all girls modeling dresses will be judged for "the dress on the girl."

Girls modeling skirts, aprons and bags will have an opportunity to practice with the commercial models the late afternoon of the dress revue, April 26.

4-H members who have applied to enter the 4-H Broiler Grading Contest are: Cedric M Abbott and Susan Abbott, East Sumner, Henry Hamilton, Jr., Marion Viney, Stephen Cox, David Raymond and Crystal Thomas, Oxford, and William Whitman, of West Paris.

The Oxford County Junior 4-H Leaders' Association is holding its election of officers on Tuesday, March 19, at Canton Point. Nominating committee is Jean Hanson and Andrew Haywood, of South Paris, and Bessie Whitman, Norway Center. Following the election a box social will be held.

Mrs Gladys Cunant, Canton Point, leader of the Busy Workers 4-H Club, was elected as delegate from the Oxford County 4-H Leaders' Association to attend the State Advisory Council meeting, April 1, at the University of Maine.

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE DEAN'S LIST ANNOUNCED

Twenty-eight students received all-A grades and 636 were named to the Dean's List for marks which they received during the fall semester at the University of Maine. In order to be named to the Dean's List a student must receive an average grade of B or better.

Those from the Oxford County area named to the Dean's List are: Andover—Leon M Akers; Bethel—Ann L Hastings; Buckfield—Samuel G Warren; Dixfield—George L Jacobs, William Eustis; East Peru—Melvin H Bowie; Mexico—Marjorie D McGuire, Richard J Ross; Norway—Linda L Ashton, William J Shirley; Oxford—Gail R Greenleaf;

Rumford—Gilbert N Roderick, William Stearns, Elma M MacDonald, Warren B Lovejoy, Jr., Karl Kraske, Gerhardt P Kraske, Margaret A Kerr, Paul A Jones, Ralph E Clarke, James T Brown, Laurel L Kelliher, Jane C Welch, Arthur J Ladd, Elliot E Burns, Rose A House; Ridlonville—Mary Gallop; South Paris—Murray E Shaw (All A's), Carleen A Stone; West Paris—Robert M Young.

STORK SHOWER

A baby shower was given to Mrs Alberta Baker Corriveau March 18 at the home of Mrs Barbara Baker, Summer Street. The shower cake was made by Mrs Rachel MacKay. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Guests were Mrs Eleanor Brooks, Mrs Phyllis Cross, Mrs Phyllis Smith, Mrs Betty Perkins, Mrs Gloria Winslow, Mrs Jennie Brown, Mrs Alice Waterhouse, Mrs Bea Foster, Mrs Marjorie Freeman, Mrs Fannie Baker, Miss Lelia Swan, Miss Madeline Emery, Miss Carli Brown, Miss Sue Goggin.

Gifts were sent by Mrs Barbara Sweetser, Mrs Buzzie Lapham, Mrs Jane Van, Mrs Helen Blowers, Mrs Laura Bennett, Mrs Florida Baker, Miss Julia Brown and Mrs Rachel MacKay.

NORTH CAROLINIAN TO ADDRESS CO-OP COUNCIL

A North Carolinian, Harry Caldwell, master of the N. C. State Grange and secretary of the Farmer Cooperative Council there, will speak at Farm and Home Week at the University of Maine Tuesday evening, April 2. He will discuss "The Meaning of an Agricultural Depression in a High Prosperity Economy." Supper will be served at 5:45 p. m. in Estabrooke Hall on the campus. Obed Millett of Palmyra, president of the Maine Cooperative Council, will preside at the annual meeting.

Although the number of cows in Maine dropped two per cent in 1956, milk production per animal increased so fast that an all-time record was set.

Retail food stores in Maine and the United States are getting larger and larger, say Extension Service economists. In six years recently, a large increase in total food sales was accompanied by a 20 per cent drop in the number of grocery stores. The trend is toward fewer but larger grocery stores.

MRS. HERBERT MASON

Mrs Ruby Mason wife of Herbert G Mason died suddenly at her home, Locke Mills, Thursday afternoon, March 14.

She was born at Greenwood, on Sept. 16, 1890, daughter of Charles W and Betsy J Cummings Cole. A member of Jackson-Silver Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, she married Herbert Mason, May 30, 1926.

Surviving besides her husband, are a sister, Mrs Ernest Mason, Locke Mills; and two brothers, Ernest Cole, Portland, and Archie Cole, Bethel.

Funeral services were held at the Union Church, Sunday afternoon with Rev Dwight McMahon of Bethel officiating. The many floral tributes testified to the esteem the community held for Mrs Mason.

Serving as bearers were Merle P Lurvey, Charles W Day, Robert S Cole and Willard Cole.

GEORGE W. DAVIS

George W Davis died last Thursday at his home at South Woodstock.

He was born in South Woodstock Sept. 14, 1869, the son of William and Georgie Irish Davis. He married Eliza A Felt, who died in 1937.

Most of his life was spent in Woodstock except for a few years in Fall River, Mass. While living there he held the title of State bowling champion. Returning here he purchased the farm where he lived until his death.

He went to work in the Lewis M Mann factory at West Paris in 1920 and gradually gave up farming. He worked at the mill until his retirement in 1949.

Mr Davis was a violinist and played at country dances. In 1935, he was crowned champion checker player at the Three Quarter Century Club meeting at Orono.

He is survived by three sons, Gerald F of Freeport, Gayden G and Guyson G of South Woodstock; seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Andrews funeral home. Interment in the South Woodstock cemetery.

FARM AND HOME WEEK ROOM RESERVATIONS AHEAD OF 1956

Room reservations on the campus at the University of Maine for April 1 to 4 and the 50th anniversary Farm and Home Week last week were running well ahead of last year. Many reservations were being received in each mail. There's still room on the campus for additional guests if reservations are mailed promptly to William C Wells, Manager of dormitories, University of Maine, Orono. Rates are reasonable and the facilities are modern.

The Citizen is appreciative of the continued cooperation of its readers in supplying reports of many events. We take pride in keeping our news columns fresh, with a minimum of delayed reports. To do this we must insist that accounts of week end events be in this office by the following Tuesday noon unless otherwise arranged.

FRATERNAL CHAT . . . Robt. F. Kennedy (left), counsel of U. S. senate committee on racketeering, talks with his brother and committee member, Sen. John F. Kennedy (Mass.).

NOTICE

Listings for the new Telephone Directory must be in by Monday, April 1. Those wishing changes in service should bear this in mind.

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BETHEL RED CROSS DRIVE LAGGING

At midpoint in its current fund drive the Bethel Red Cross is still far short of its $743 goal. If Bethel is to approach this total, it will have to be through increased giving on the part of all of us.

The home service program under Mrs Bisbee has given valuable assistance to many Bethel servicemen and their families, and the program of swimming instruction has benefited hundreds of local children. Added to this is the care given throughout the world in the wake of disaster and emergencies like the Hungarian refugee problem. Such work deserves all the financial support we are able to give.

MRS. BROWN'S PIANO PUPILS HOLD AFTERNOON MUSICALE

The piano pupils of Mrs Donald Brown entertained their mothers at an afternoon musicale Saturday, at the home of their teacher. Piano solos, duets, trios, and two songs by the group were enjoyed. Each child displayed the booklet he had made, and discussed briefly the composer about whom he had been studying. Contest winners were announced as follows: First—Robert Saunders, Second—Rebecca Keniston, Third—Louann Brown. After the program, refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Those taking part were: Charlene Swain, Jane Luxton, Martha Keniston, Carolyn Wilcox, Rachel Keniston, Victoria Robertson, Rebecca Keniston, Robert Saunders, Louann Brown.

ROBERT GOODWIN ATTENDS INSURANCE CONFERENCE

Robert W Goodwin of Goodwin's Inc., Norway, is attending the annual Eastern Agents Conference in Washington this week. This is a very important conference where many important subjects involving present and future insurance matters are reviewed for the benefit of agents by prominent leaders in the industry.

CANCER VOLUNTEERS TO MEET AT LEWISTON, MARCH 26

Maine Cancer Society volunteers in Androscoggin and Oxford Counties for the 1957 Cancer Crusade will meet on Tuesday, March 26, at St Mary's General Hospital for orientation and training. Presiding at the one-day session will be Mrs Howard L Bylander of Lewiston, education chairman for Southern Androscoggin County. Mrs Charles L Keene of West Poland, fund chairman for Southern Androscoggin County, will bring greetings to the volunteers.

Mrs Mary Lee Eaton, executive director of The Maine Cancer Society will outline the day's program.

Highlights of the morning session will be a medical panel discussion of "Cancer, the disease," led by John T Konrad, M. D., of Auburn, and a round-table discussion on "The Cancer Patient", led by Mrs Eaton, with Mrs Dorothy Bourgoin R. N., public health co-ordinator at St Mary's Hospital, and Mrs Helen Worcester, field representative, assisting. At the afternoon session, Mrs Alta W Noble and Mrs Barbara O Gallagher, field representatives, will discuss the community organization for the 1957 Crusade.

Jere R Clifford, Lewiston attorney, will give an inspirational talk to bring the afternoon session to a close.

FOOD SALE

Saturday, Mar. 23—2 p. m.

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The Week in Oxford County

The 20th annual carnival and ski tournament of the Pineland Ski and Outing Club was held during last week end at Andover.

It is reported that the Mexico Theatre, Mexico, will close March 31. It was established by Edmund Pollard 30 years ago.

Harland Childs, chief observer of the Ground Observers in Dixfield was presented a flag by the Ladies Auxiliary, Morton-Ellis V F W Post. Thirteen awards were given to those who had devoted 100 to 300 hours to the GOC post.

The first semi-annual Oxford County Safety Conference was held at Hotel Stone, Norway, on Tuesday evening. Slides were shown of actual Maine accidents. There was a question and answer period.

A three-day evaluation of Norway High School was concluded Friday. It was accomplished by a visiting committee of teachers and educational authorities. The purpose was for accreditation by the State Department of Education. Norway High is the first school in the State to ask for such an accreditation.

Mr and Mrs W E Gammon, Lake Street, Oxford, are observing their fifth wedding anniversary today (Thursday). They celebrated the occasion with a family gathering at their home Sunday. Mr and Mrs Gammon were married in and have always lived in their present home.

Leo Morency of Rumford, Heart Fund campaign chairman for North Oxford County, has announced results of this year's campaign from seven towns reporting to date. $1,219.97 has been raised as follows: Peanle Peanies, Andover, $114.25; O T Rozelle Bethel, $420.27; Kathleen Knapp, Roxbury, Typo, $63.80; Marjorie Cummings, Hanover, $17.25; Mrs George Dubois, Mexico, $208.25; Mr and Mrs Frank Martin, Peru, $142.50; Mrs George Prentiss, Rumford Center, $11.55.

The March meeting of the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association was held Monday night at the home of Mr and Mrs Alex Robertson, Dunton Street, Rumford. The ninth anniversary of the organization was celebrated with refreshments featuring a special anniversary cake.

ACROSS the DESK

ideas from other editors

From the Canton Independent-Sentinel, Canton, Pa.: Many Americans complain they have trouble sleeping at night. They resort to all sorts of drugs, sleeping pills, and other remedies, some of which are not necessary and some of which do not do the body any good.

Experts have unanimously agreed that difficulty in getting to sleep at night is rarely due to a physical disorder or ailment. Insomnia, if you have it, can usually be prevented if you will use your thinking process a bit and if you can discipline yourself to refrain from worry at night, putting off your problems until the morning.

The first task, relaxing, is partially dependent on disciplining yourself to starting yourself each day, tackling your problems in the morning and not worrying about them all night. If you will remember that worry never accomplishes anything, except to destroy your health and your happiness, you will soon learn to discard worry and to tackle your problems each day as they arise.

Experts say that if you wish to avoid insomnia, you should give yourself an opportunity to relax and unwind before going to sleep. They suggest listening to quiet music, reading an easy-to-read novel, taking a warm bath leisurely, or pursuing some other hobby or relaxation which will quite you down.

A combination of resorting to uselessly worry over life's problems at night and calming yourself down before you go to bed will produce better results than drugs, sleeping pills and artifical sleepmakers. Also, it will save you money.

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From the Suburban List, Essex Junction, Vermont: Colleges are turning out thousands of students who get higher education but criticism is made they are lacking in some fundamentals.

The Dean of the Law School at Columbia University in New York City says that the inability of college students to read and write is growing by leaps and bounds. He wants to have courses established in writing and grammar instruction which is supposed to be thoroughly taught in the high schools.

Dr. William Warren makes this criticism and he might have also included spelling. How true it is that many college students are not able to write with a clearness that is understood. They use long involved sentences that have little or no meaning.

Economic Highlights . . . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

"We are now seeing the first of a long series of upheavals generated by the internal contradictions of the Soviet economy. For Soviet Communism has turned out to be a kind of capitalism—a kind that won't work." This is the substance, developed in great detail, of an article by Gilbert Burck and Sanford S. Parker in the February issue of Fortune.

The writers begin with a striking analogy—"The Kremlin today is like a reckless corporate board of directors that has become obsessed with the ambition of making its company the biggest in the world; having expanded plant and equipment too fast, it must now adjust its ambitions to reality." Every Soviet effort has been dedicated to overtaking and surpassing the United States in military and economic fields. The process has been one of forced, not normal or logical, growth. Russia's very real achievements, in other words, have been obtained by such iron-handed stratagems as collectivizing the farms, forcing peasants into the factories, and holding production of consumer goods to minimum levels.

However, Messrs Burck and Parker state, the nation can no longer grow by the same devices. Little if any more manpower can be taken from agriculture to serve industry. Population growth has been retarded by famines, war losses and deaths in slave labor camps. So increased industrial production can come, for the most part, only by increasing productivity per man-hour, a fact which the latest Five-Year Plan recognizes. But as the writers point out, there is a big dilemma here. Because popular resentment is actually beginning to affect production, the Kremlin must now make real concessions to consumer needs. If the Kremlin makes such concessions it cannot keep up with much less surpass the military and economic progress of the U. S.

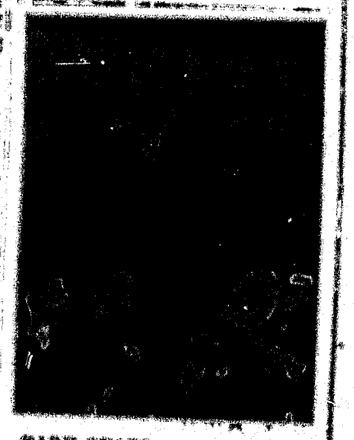
The Russian switch to concentrate on consumer goods and to raise the Soviet labor force to half again as large as ours (at present it is only a third as much). The way the Soviet forces are divided is also highly significant. With defense costs eating up the same number of people in government that Soviet agriculture employs about twice as many workers as we do and Soviet industry 10 per cent more. On the other hand, Soviet workers in the trades and services number less than a third of the U. S. total which is itself clearly absurd when Soviet living standards are so low.

In no field of consequence does Soviet production rival ours, even though she has managed to greatly increase her industrial output over the years. Russia produces less than half as much steel; about a third as much energy, and only a tiny number of automobiles, comparatively speaking. Her farm output as a whole is but half of ours, and meat production but a quarter. As for Russian consumers, this observation is made: "Never in modern history has a big economy vouchsafed so few crumbs to so many consumers."

How can the Kremlin relieve its tremendous economic pressures? It can continue its emphasis on heavy industry—but that, as the authors say, "... would require a new crackdown on the people and might end in violent revolution." Or it could place the emphasis on consumer goods. "Yet a real shift toward consumer goods, because it would end the myth of the necessity of absolutism, would pave the way for the gradual downgrading and disintegration of the Communist party dictatorship."

In other words, the Kremlin hasn't much choice. Matters might reach a state of desperation which would spell In World War III. However, these writers believe, the crisis is more likely "... to spawn a long period of stopgap measures, ad hoc policy changes, and Kremlin reshufflings. These might, over a period of years, effect a substantial and primarily peaceful change in the Soviet system, or they might whet the people's appetite for faster and greater change and so lead to coups d'etat and popular uprisings."

NEW PM . . . Chancellor of exchequer Harold Macmillan, 62, succeeds Sir Anthony Eden as Great Britain's prime minister.



HARD HYANS . . . Road racer Mickey Hooker of Lockbury, O., despite 2 broken legs and 2 bad knees, keeps on punishing himself over and over by rapidly lowered Stanford Hall.

REMEMBER?

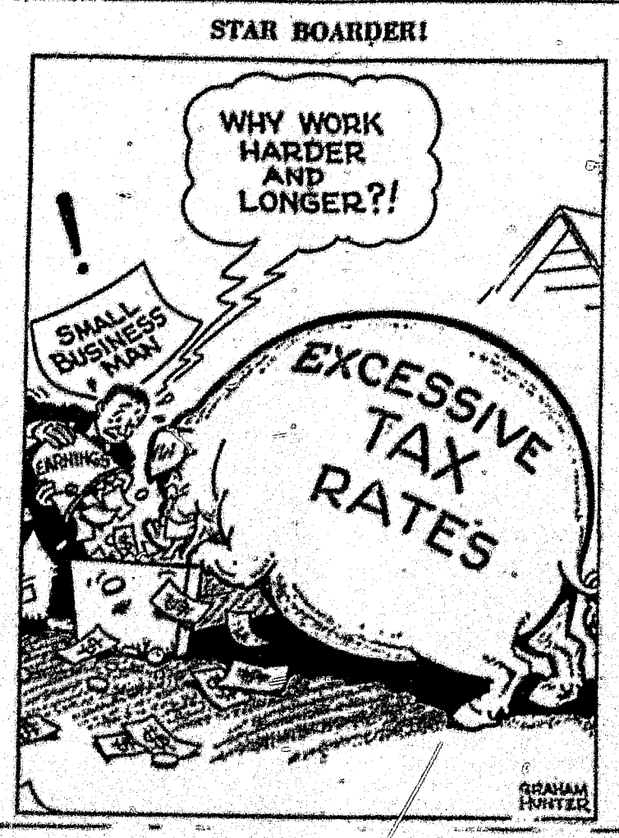
February 1907 marked an important anniversary. But it wasn't one that was received with cheers. It was the 50th anniversary of the federal income tax.

A look backward is in order. In 1913 (in the days before the annual rate was one per cent and the highest action was 4 per cent).

Today the tax starts at 20 per cent on the lowest taxable income, and the top is 91 per cent.

The Portland Oregonian makes the wry and apt comment: "We didn't invent the income tax. The British started using it to support their military campaigns in the late 1700's shortly after we helped them at Yorktown and won our independence. Well, they have their revenge."

STAR BOARDER!



CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Miss Minnie Wilson, Supt. of Sunday School

Sunday, March 24:
Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m.
Church Worship is at 11 a. m.
Sermon: "Lenten Memories."

Tuesday, March 26: Monthly supper meeting of Men's Brotherhood at 6:30 p. m. at the church.

Every Thursday, regular choir rehearsals at the church: Juniors at 3:30; Seniors at 6:30.

Every Saturday during Lent: Pastor's Class at the Parsonage, at 9:30 a. m. for 7th and 8th grade boys and girls.

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Clifford W. Laws
Mrs. John Tebbets, Choir Director
Miss Dawne Christie, Organist
Mrs Howard Cole, Sunday School Superintendent

9:30 a. m. All classes of Sunday School.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

6:30 p. m. The Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the church.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
There will be Catholic Mass at 9 o'clock Sunday morning at the Bethel Theatre. For information call 36 before 4 p. m. After 6 p. m. call 34-3.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Man's God-given dominion over material laws of sickness and limitation will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday.

Golden Text: "Set your affection on things above, not on things of the earth. (Colossians 3:2).

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH
Rev Paul Willard, Pastor
Miss Geraldine King, Organist
Mrs. Paul Head, Superintendent of Sunday School

Sunday:
9 a. m. Church School.
10 a. m. Worship Service.
4 p. m. Junior Youth Fellowship.
5 p. m. Maple Grove Youth Fellowship.

LOCKE MILLS UNION CHURCH
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Services at 11:15 a. m. Rev. Paul Willard.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Sunday Morning Worship Services at 9:30. Robert Sallies, Minister.

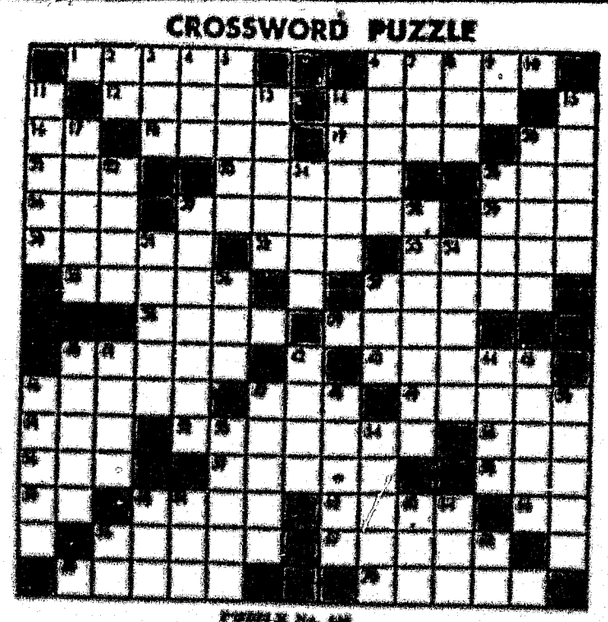
Sunday school at 10:30, Mrs Leslie Abbott, Supt.

A fine service was held last Sunday, with Girl Scouts and their leaders attending. The South Paris Universalist Choir furnished special music, which was much enjoyed.

BRYANT POND BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. E. Lindahl, Pastor

Sunday, March 24:
Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.
Morning Service, 10:30 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Monday, March 25: Young Peoples Bible Club, 7:00 p. m.
Tuesday, March 26: Sunday School Teachers Meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday, March 27:
Choir rehearsal, 6:15 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
m.
Thursday, March 28: Young People's swimming and basketball at Hebron.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



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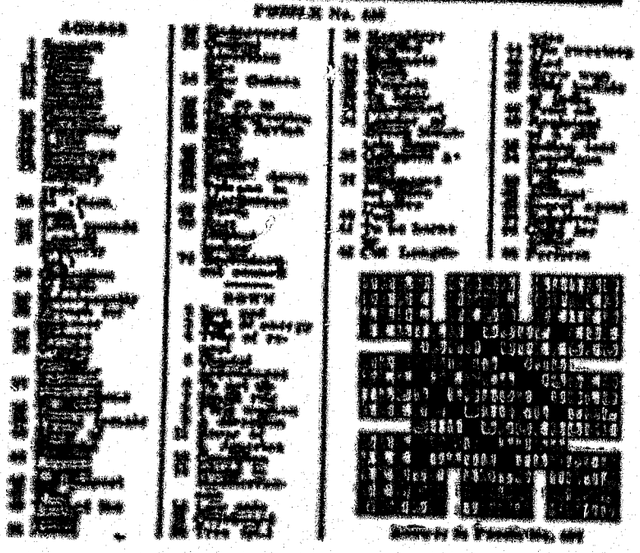


TODAY'S Meditation

from the Upper Room

THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, March 21

Read Titus 2:1-3.

The kindness and love of God our Saviour toward man appeared. (Titus 3:4).

ONE autumn I was making an evangelistic tour in Mesopotamia. Entering a village, I asked its name. The answer was "Shakar Khach," meaning "Sugar Cross." When I visited the village, it was inhabited entirely by non-Christians. Adverse and withering storms of hatred and vengeance have been as a scourge upon that territory.

But what a suggestive name for a town—"Sugar Cross!" The name suggests that at one time the village was inhabited by Christians. It suggests that they found joy in their walk with Christ. It implies that they knew the sweet and precious significance of the cross on which the kindness and love of God were revealed to all mankind—and all on account of our sins!

By the way of the cross of Christ, God's love answers man's need. Only by the way of the cross is it possible to enrich the relationships between persons, families, and nations.

Prayer

O God, we praise Thee for so many witnesses who through untold sufferings and troubles have stood faithful to Thee and tested the strength of Thy cross. Give me grace to feed by faith at Thy table today. Dear Lord, make my life sweet. For the Redeemer's sake, Amen.

Thought For the Day

"The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and his ears are open unto their cry."

N. Khachadourian (Syria)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

For several years, Bethel people have been aware, but painfully apathetic about our failing economy and dwindling resources. More and more of our young people and men with young families are forced out of town to earn a living, or else hold down part time jobs, to meet the inflationary trends of the last ten years. This situation is known to exist but the startling fact remains—NOTHING IS BEING DONE ABOUT IT—Is Bethel, which should be a vital and alert part of New England, going to turn into a commutors' paradise? and why??

Are we too rich or too lazy? We know that Bethel has been the pet of a philanthropist and never did have to hustle and struggle small town fashion to get and maintain an educational standard. It's like Maw and Paw Kettle being given a solid gold cadillac. We're proud of this educational vehicle gracing our yard, but the bulk of us are hard put to dress our children properly to ride in it. Our easiest solution would be to go out and find us another philanthropist (but they don't hardly make them no more). It is frustrating to know that in spite of—or because of this gracious endowment the town has allowed itself to get Gould Academy be our slide rule of economy.

We do need industry but when it is mentioned, the usual reaction is as if one had mouthed a dirty oath or was covering Bethel with some horrible germs. Or someone shudders and says, "We don't want shoe shops in Bethel." Indeed we don't. It is comforting to know that more than shoes and bed spreads are manufactured in this modern world. Mother Industries the nation over, have looked uneasily at this atomic world and wonder where they can house and manufacture just a few of the more vital babies, for safe keeping—just in case light objects, little parts, vital parts. Certainly with our land, river and railroad, we should be able to lure some tiny arm of industry here that would only necessitate a few of the top echelon, or personnel, to teach and train our own citizens.

Of course this utopian industry doesn't come flapping in eagle fashion. The selecting, wooing and winning of industry is a fine modern art, necessitated by dead and dying natural resources. Some energetic towns with a positive outlook have accomplished this aim in as little as four years. They have organized, subsidized and agonized for the benefit of their town folk. Incidentally they are benefitting not only themselves, but all of New England as well. Whether you know it or not, we are already feeling a squeeze between Canada's boom and the South's eager outstretching. Every town should be taking part in an all out effort to revitalize this section of the U. S.

Now the more positive of you are going to say "This all sounds mighty reasonable on paper.—Who's going to do it?" That is an embarrassing question. The spirit of get up and go seemed to die out with government subsidies and charities. People not accepting these are too busy and tired or just plain discouraged with the "it can't be done here" attitude. The rest, not worried about the dollars, are indeed too rich or too lazy. So why do I bother to stir up an impossible situation?—Well just say stubbornness and a genuine conviction that something is wrong and needs to be corrected. I also feel that the male supper clubs, being enjoyed in this town, originally started out as service clubs. The Chamber of Commerce cannot be so misnamed that it does not keep its finger on the pulse of its community. Lions Clubs the world over are doing more than supplying glasses and seeing that their poorer citizens don't have to gum it for the rest of their lives. These are worthy projects, but perhaps with a choice of more work these charities wouldn't be so necessary.

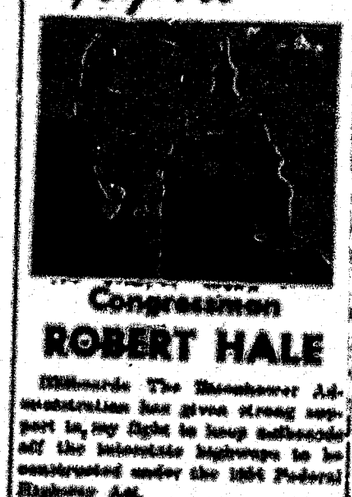
Now, assuming that some chivalrous club comes forth with more than an abortive effort at a survey and grabs this situation firmly—With an effective spearhead, they should be joined by every group that is vital to this town. Definitely including Gould Academy and the N.T.L. whose interest in maintaining the semi-rural atmosphere in Bethel is understandable and agreeable to the whole community. Also the trained minds and organizational capacities of these two groups should prove terrifically valuable. After all, we Bethelites haven't thought big (for something small) in years. Also the N.T.L. is probably in personal contact with more industries (due to the nature of its interests and research) than Governor Muskie's Maine Development Commission will come in contact with in twenty years.

Now in closing, I do hope this letter to our Editor will be vital in stirring interest and action on this topic "Industry for Bethel" but if it should only stir up trouble and controversy. Let me say I'd rather be Mrs O'Leary's cow kicking over the lantern than any one of these people meekly trotting out of town to find work, when such towns as Norway, South Paris, and even little old Locke Mills didn't let it happen to them.

"Congratulations"

(Contributed)

Your Washington Report



Congressman
ROBERT HALE

Billboards: The Eisenhower Administration has given strong support to my fight to keep unsightly billboards off the interstate highways to be constructed under the 1956 Federal Highway Act.

The Administration has proposed

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

GEORGE DAVIS

George Davis died Thursday at his home here, where he was being cared for by his son, Gerald Davis, and daughter-in-law, Mrs Guyson Davis. He was born at South Woodstock Sept. 14, 1869, being the son of William and Georgia Irish Davis. He married Eliza A Felt who passed away in 1937.

He is survived by three sons, Gerald F of Freeport, Gayden G and Guyson G Davis of South Woodstock. He also had seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Hollis Buck moved his family to Fort Dix, N. J. last week.

The Union School has purchased a tape recorder for the benefit of the children there.

Mr and Mrs Harlan Andrews arrived home from Florida Sunday afternoon. They came by car with Mr and Mrs Walter Appleby of West Paris, who have been down South for a few weeks.

Callers at Mr and Mrs Ellis Davis' Sunday were Lenwood Andrews and daughter Hilda, Alvah Titus, and Mr and Mrs Philip Holen and two children.

Miss Judy Olson of West Paris spent the week end with Miss Catherine Curtis. Miss Curtis is spending the week with her father, Davis Curtis.

BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Cor. —

The annual meeting of Jefferson Chapter, OES, was held Friday night with good attendance. It was voted to make Mrs Mabel Farrington and Mrs Edith Abbott life members. Charles Day and Mrs Ruth Tyler were appointed tellers and the following officers were elected for the coming year: Worthy Matron, Mrs Virginia Mills; Worthy Patron, Frank Bean; Associate Matron, Arlene MacKillop; Associate Patron, Elden Hathaway; Secretary, Ida Farnum; Treasurer, Frances Farnum; Conductress, Grace Day; Associate Conductress, Martha Warner; Member of Finance Committee for three years, Ruth Tyler; Member of Finance Committee for 2 years, Raynor Littlefied.

Worthy Matron Ruby Ring presented gifts to her officers. She was given gifts from the Past Matrons and from her Junior officers.

A semi-public meeting for installation of the officers will be held on Friday evening, April 5, following a 6:30 supper.

A special meeting of the Star Birthday Club was called at the close of the OES meeting and it was voted to give $24 to the Donnie McInnis fund.

Franklin Grange met Saturday night, with about 50 members attending, including visitors from Winthrop Grange, Shelburne, N. H., West Paris and Alder River, East Bethel. A "Hobo Party" was featured with the following judges: Mrs Bessie Andrews, Mrs Elsie Cole and James Lassiter. Prizes were awarded for the best costumes as follows: First, Nancy Ridley, West Paris; Second, Chester Hayes, Shelburne, and Third, Kenneth Hoyt. The following program was presented; Song by Grange, "Pack Up Your Troubles"; Reading the Newspaper by Harris Hathaway and Robert Davis; Vocal Duet by Mrs Jeannette and Miss Jean Carini; Reading, "How to Preserve a Husband" by Mrs Olive Davis; Skit, "Cranking a 1918 Flivver" by Mr and Mrs Carl Brooks; Poem, "A Frog's Tale" by James Lassiter; Balloon Stunt, led by Carl Brooks. Closing Song by Grange "Good Night, Ladies." Refreshments were served hobo style, in paper bags and consisted of bread, hard-boiled eggs and apples.

Mrs Fannie Cummings returned Saturday after attending the Flower Show at Boston last week.

Mr and Mrs Roger Strout are the parents of a daughter, born at Rumford Community Hospital, on March 11.

George Hayden is a surgical patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs Fannie Ross has returned to the home of her nephew, Elden Hathaway, after spending several months with Mr and Mrs Randall Williams, Riddonville.

Seaman Herbert Whitman, who was stationed at Norfolk, Va., spent two weeks with his parents, Mr and Mrs Donald Whitman, leaving Friday for Great Lakes Training Station, where he will attend electronics school.

Pfc Philip Farrington, stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, came Wednesday of last week to spend a 30-day leave with his parents Mr and Mrs Arthur Farrington.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Andrews and Mr and Mrs Porter Swan and family, had Sunday dinner at their camp in Albany, and called to see Mr and Mrs Harry Spring.

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NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted for tax title to a small lot of land on Chase Hill Road, Tax Map #R, Lot 2, about 260 feet by 126, formerly known as the Ivy Tyler lot. Building on the lot. Right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Bids to be opened at the Town Manager's office, at seven thirty P. M., April 14, 1957.

12-13 O. T. Roselle, Mgr.

NOTICE

We will accept sealed bids on Standard Grade Gasoline for one year's supply. To be delivered to Town Garage Tanks, 3,000 gallons capacity. Preference granted to Bethel residents. Sealed bids to be presented to Town Manager's office on or before seven P. M. o'clock March 26 1957. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids, price to show basic price on gasoline and additional amounts for taxes, that dealer pays.

O. T. Roselle

NOTICE

As voted in Town Meeting sealed bids will be accepted on the Town Lock Up Building. Separate bids on the lot will also be accepted. This lot measures about 26 feet on High Street, 72 feet along the Norman Greig lot, about 30 feet on the back and about 86 feet along F H Chadbourne lot. Bids to be delivered to the Manager's Office prior to seven P. M. o'clock, April 4th, 1957. Right to accept or reject any or all bids is reserved.

O. T. Roselle

WEST PARIS

— Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres. —

The Senior Girl Scouts met at the Good Will Hall, Monday evening. Martha Ewell, Sheila Heath and Elaine Penley were appointed to serve on the committee for Parents Night. After the business meeting the Scouts worked on scrapbooks for children who are in hospitals.

The West Paris Home Extension Group met Thursday at the home of Mrs Alli Benson with 19 members and seven children present. Mrs Thelma Edmunds had charge of the meeting on "Adequate Storage Space." Dinner was served by Mrs Iona Andrews, Mrs Susie Abbott and Miss Edith Bradford.

Youth Fellowship met at Good Will Hall, Sunday evening. Douglas and Mary Ann Perham reported on the New England Liberal Religious Youth get-together which they attended at Auburn last week end. After the meeting refreshments were served by Hilda Andrews and Mary Ann Perham.

Edward Buck received his discharge from the U. S. Army and is at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Linwood Buck.

A personal shower honoring Mrs Priscilla Durden was held Thursday night at the home of her mother with Mrs Marie Hibler as hostess. Refreshments included a shower cake made by Mrs Olive Tuell, were served. Present were: Ruth Reid, Madelyn Herrick, Agnes Gray, Ruth Hazelton, Laura Flavin, Beverly Glines, Agnes Doughty, Sheryl Walsanen, Virginia Hibler, Mary Hibler, Minnie Smith, Mae Wagar, Doris Slattery, Mona Cole, and the guest of honor.

Alden Doughty, Mt. Washington T. V., visited his mother last week, while enroute to his home in Chelmsford, Mass.

Mr and Mrs Walter Durden and son, David, have been spending the week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Lorenzo Cole, before moving to California.

Harlan Childs who was taken seriously ill Friday has been moved to the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mrs Vernon Inman and son, Walter, have returned home from the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Roland Morey are parents of a son, Jeffery Grant, born March 13 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mrs Walter Inman is gaining after being confined to her bed during the past week.

"It often shows a fine command of language to say nothing!"

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

— Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Albert McAllister were dinner guests Sunday, St. Patrick's Day, of Mr and Mrs Earl McAllister in honor of their 29th wedding anniversary. Those present were: Mr and Mrs Irving Hale and son, Roger; Mrs Etta Ring; Mr and Mrs Albert McAllister and Rodney; Mr and Mrs Earl McAllister and son Dwight.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Stearns have purchased a new car.

Harry Spring returned home Saturday afternoon from the Norway hospital.

Saturday guests of Mr and Mrs John Spinney were: Mr and Mrs Sherman Allen of Freeport; Mrs Annie Nutting and Dickie Bennett of Bethel; and Mr and Mrs Russell Nutting and daughter, Wendy.

Mr and Mrs James Corbett and family were Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs L J Andrews.

Pvt Kenneth Bumpus was home from Connecticut for the week end.

Mrs Arlene Leighton was a recent caller at L J Andrews'.

Linwood Andrews is doing some painting for his grandmother, Mrs Ella Hersey, North Waterford.

Harold Thompson called at John Spinney's recently.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus' were: Mr and Mrs John Spinney; Clifton Pinkham; Mrs Rachel Hutchinson; and the Misses Margaret and Cora Bumpus of Auburn.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Stearns and Mr and Mrs Howard Inman and family were Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs Richard Stevens and family and Mr and Mrs John Meserve.

Mr and Mrs Ray Andrews and son, Wayne, were Sunday callers of her mother, Mrs Ella Hersey, North Waterford.

Mrs Elizabeth Wight was a Sunday caller of Mr and Mrs John Spinney.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mr. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mrs Rena Powers of Bear River called on her parents, the John Nowlins, recently.

Mr and Mrs Ivan Garey called on her parents, the Claude Lombards of Upton, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Greenwood were in Norway Saturday.

Mrs Eva Yates attended Grange meeting at Gray last Wednesday.

Sunday callers at the Estes Yates' were Mr and Mrs Bryce Yates of Portland, Laura Yates and Terry Adams of Lovell, and Russell Yates of Westbrook.

Terry and Vance Greenwood spent Saturday with their grandparents, the Leon Enmans, on Bear River.

Mr and Mrs R M Fleet called on Mr and Mrs Angelo Onofrio at Bethel Saturday.

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$1.40 for Male Dogs.

$1.40 for Spayed Female Dogs. (Provided that a certificate of spaying from a licensed veterinary accompanies that application for a license or license of previous year is presented.)

5.40 for Female Dogs.

$10.40 for Kennel License (Provided the number of dogs covered by the license does not exceed 10.)

$20.40 for Kennel License if number of dogs covered exceeds 10.

VIOLET BENNETT, Clerk, Town of Bethel.

Assessors' Notice

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF BETHEL:

You are hereby notified that the Assessors of Bethel will be in session at Selectmen's Office on

APRIL 1, 1957

From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

for the purpose of receiving true and perfect lists of all property, both Real and Personal, owned by you on the first day of April, 1957, subject to Taxation under the laws of the State of Maine.

And you are hereby notified that failing to bring in such list bars you from any appeal or any consideration on the part of the Assessors or the County Commissioners.

Blanks for filing returns may be had upon application.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO VETERANS

All Veterans who are 62 years old or over and served during a recognized war period are exempt to the value of $5000 on property only.

All Veterans who are receiving compensation for disability and have not filed, must complete a new form which is obtainable at the Assessors' Office in order to be exempted for any and all taxes. Proof of service and disability must be shown when exemption is applied for. This also must be done by Veterans' Widows who wish any exemption of property taxes if they did not file during 1956 or some time thereafter.

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LOCKE MILLS

— Mrs. Florence Swift, Correa. —

Regular meeting of the Community Club was held at the school house Tuesday evening, with 18 members present. It was voted to donate ten dollars to the Men's Club to help on the skating hut they have recently built, also to donate five dollars to the Red Cross. The treasurer reported about $33 clear profit from the town meeting dinner. The committee wishes to thank all those who cooked and helped with the dinner. On April 8th the Community Club and the Men's Club will furnish a supper for the Western Maine Firemen's Association, all proceeds to go to the Donald McInnis Fund. Sylvia Dunham won the mystery package. The meeting closed with games and refreshments served by Thelma Hicks and Joyce Hathaway.

The Men's Club are sponsoring a Whist Party March 27 at the Legion Hall, 7 p. m., and a Beano Game April 5th for the Donald McInnis Fund. The collection of paper by the Men's Club will be on March 30th.

Mrs Lillian Fiske is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs Eva Kenison, West Paris.

Mrs Harry Swift and Mrs Fannie Cummings spent several days in Boston last week attending the flower show while there.

Mrs Eva Kenison entertained at a dinner Tuesday in honor of Mrs Clifford McAllister's birthday. Present were: Mrs Charles Day, Mrs Raynor Littlefield, Mrs Lillian Fiske, Mrs Ivan Morey and Cindy, Mrs Eva Kenison and the honor guest, Mrs McAllister. Mrs Littlefield made the birthday cake.

Mr and Mrs Harry Swift were called to Lewiston, Tuesday, by the illness of Mr and Mrs Carroll Brewster.

Among those attending the funeral of Mrs Herbert Mason from out of town were: Orren Mason and Mrs Fannie Wheeler, Bryant Pond; Mrs Edna Webster and Harlan Webster, South Portland; Mr and Mrs Ellis Ellingwood, Mrs Rena Bacon, Mr and Mrs Maynard Chase, West Paris; Mr and Mrs Reginald Ford, Freeport; Mr and Mrs Clifford Abbott, Mrs Lettie Ford, Sumner; Arthur Cummings, Auburn; James Brown and Alfred Brown, Bethel.

GOULD ACADEMY

The cast for the senior play at Gould Academy has been announced by David Thompson, dramatics coach.

This year's production is a fast moving farce adapted from Betty MacDonald's "Onions in the Stew." The play is similar to Betty MacDonald's earlier success, "The Egg and I."

"Onions in the Stew" is a comical account of parents dealing with their teen-age daughters in this day. The setting is a small island off the coast of the State of Washington.

Betty MacDonald of Northeast Harbor will portray Betty MacDonald, the mother of the teenagers Russell Patterson of Fryeburg plays William MacDonald, her husband.

Anne and Jean, the teen age sisters will be played by Sylvia Crane and Barbara Leach. Howard and Roger, the two boy friends will be played by Joseph Brenkus and Donald Willard.

The remainder of the cast includes Sandy Reynolds as Claud, Elizabeth Stevens as Claire, Diane Arnheim as Lesley, Nancy Bales as Margo, Jane Yeaton as Miss Garvey, Donna Bartlett as Bee Gee, Nancy Corkum as Salsie, Judy Graffman as Kitsie, Dennis Robertson as Harry the plumber, and his twin brother, Kennis Nowlin as Mr Curtis, Diane Mitchell as Mrs Curtis, Patricia Ellman as Lyda, Jere Snell as Jim, John Giddings as Phil Murray, Carol York as Della Murray and Bill Anderson as a sailor.

The play will be presented in the William Bingham Gymnasium on May 3rd at 8 p. m.

Gould Academy will close at noon on Friday, March 22, for its annual spring vacation. Classes will resume Monday at 8:10 a. m. on April 1. Boarding students will return Sunday evening, March 31.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor. —

Mr and Mrs Robert Sweetser (nee Elaine Cushman) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a 7 lb. 14 oz. daughter named Holly Diane March 15 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mr and Mrs Irving Cole and two children of Greenwood and Miss Christine Berry were Sunday night supper guests at Herman Cole's. Other callers were Mrs Rena Bacon of West Paris and friend of Norway, also Mr and Mrs Ben Warner Jr.

Mr and Mrs Clinton Buck were at Auburn Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs Hattie Brown.

Daniel Cole was at Portland one day last week to take his physical exam for the service.

Several from this community attended the fried clam dinner Sunday.

GILEAD

— Mrs. Florence Holder, Cor. —

Robert Annis has gone to Shelburne, N. H., where he has employment with the Portis Lumber Co.

Mr and Mrs Clarke Leighton of Bethel moved here this week and are staying with his father, I B Leighton.

Mrs Florence Holder and son Raymond were in Norway Sunday.

Lewis Berenson of Portland was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Clayton Bryant returned home Wednesday from Errol, N. H.

Arthur Curtis and Paul Carter were visitors in Augusta and Bingham last week.

Word was received here Friday of the death of Mrs Freda Bennett Davis, widow of Rev Thomas L Davis of Brattleboro, Vt. She was a former resident of this town, spending several years with her parents, the late Mr and Mrs E R Bennett, at their farm here on the North Road known now at the Lesler Farm. She is survived by four daughters, Charlotte, Edith, Mary and Mildred; and one brother, Milan R Bennett of Norway Lake.

WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Correa. —

Mrs Floyd Kimball, Jr., was honor guest at a stork shower at the home of Mrs Robert Hutchinson, Bethel, last Tuesday night. Games and refreshments were enjoyed. Prizes went to Mrs Warren, Mrs Clayton Kendall, Mrs Stanley Clough and Mrs Arthur Gilbert. Others attending were Mrs Shirley Gilbert, Mrs Richard Walker, Mrs George Luxton, Miss Jean Farren, Miss Flossie Westleigh, Mrs Roger Clough, Mrs Raymond Saunders, Miss Thirza Clough, Mrs Rodney Jordan, Mrs George Westleigh and Miss Margaret Tyler.

Pleasant Valley Grange met last Thursday with nine members and three visitors present. Mrs Paul Head acted as master. A donation of five dollars was made to the Donald McInnis Fund. The literary program was: Mystery March, won by Mrs Arthur Gilbert; Reading on "Highway Safety," by Mrs Lona Gilbert; Reading by Jean Farren on "Safe Driving"; Reading, "Taking No Chances," by Lellie Hall; Skit on "How to Buy Food Cheap," by Doris Walker and Norman Hall; "Mothers Will Strive to Keep Children Safe by Olive Head; Suggestions on Safety Measures in the Home, lady members; Suggestion on safety measures on the farm, men; Comments on Safe-ty Signs, by Charles Hancock and Jean Farren; Humorous Story, Norman Hall. Refreshment committee for next meeting, Katherleen Bennett, Doris Walker and Ada Hancock. Refreshments were served by Jean Farren and Ruth Gilbert.

Mrs Lona Gilbert was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Arthur Gilbert and Mr and Mrs Shirley Gilbert.

Mr and Mrs George Gilbert have named their infant son, Randy Lee.

Michael Stowell and Walter Kittredge, Bethel, spent the week end at Andover, where they attended the winter carnival.

George Stowell, III, has been recently promoted to Airman 2/c. He is stationed in the Azores.

Ralph Coulombe was at home from Palmer, Mass., for the week end. Mrs Coulombe returned to Palmer, Mass., with him.

Raymond Coulombe was tendered a farewell party at his home Friday night. He will report March 19 for induction into the army.

STORK SHOWER

Mrs George Gilbert was honored by friends with a stork shower Tuesday evening at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall. Games and refreshments were enjoyed. A cake decorated for the occasion by Mrs Rachel MacKay was cut by Mrs Gilbert. An original poem written by Mrs Ruth Gilbert was read by Barbara Wheeler. Prizes went to Mrs Margaret Belanger, Mrs Patricia Hutchinson and Mrs Doris Burris.

Gifts were presented the honored guest on a table decorated in blue, yellow and white, which was presided over by a stork. Mrs Gilbert was presented a corsage.

Those attending were: Mrs Bruce Smith and Elaine, North Waterford; Mrs Phyllis Bancroft, Judy Lapham and Miss Lorraine Leighton, Albany; Mrs Elizabeth Everett, Mrs Ruth Hibbard and Mrs Grace Morrill, Mason; Mrs Patricia Hutchinson, Mrs Arlene Morrill, Mrs Arlene Tyler, Mrs Margaret Belanger, Mrs Bessie Martin, Miss Kay McMillin, Mrs Alzena Sargent, Mrs Virginia Walker, Mrs Lona Gilbert, Mrs Lellie Hall, Mrs Marguerite Kendall, Mrs Joan Kendall, Mrs Mary Kendall, Mrs Frances Saunders, Mrs Addie Saunders, Mrs Martha Sweatt, Mrs Mabel Robertson, Mrs Ruth Winkinson, all of Bethel;

Mrs Adaline Clough, Mrs Nellie Stetson, Mrs Frances Bennett, Mrs Colleen Boyd, Mrs Doris Burris, Mrs Harriet Stowell, Mrs Olive Head, Mrs Elizabeth Gilbert, Mrs Carla Bennett, Mrs Dorris Walker, Mrs Mabel Walker and Diana, Mrs Ruby Rolfe, Mrs Maxine Lovejoy, Miss Jean Farren, Mrs Josephine Kendall, Mrs Helen Saunders, Mrs Florice Paul, Mrs Barbara Wheeler and Barbara Sue, Mrs Marilyn Gilbert, Mrs Arlene Tyler and Mrs Ruth Gilbert, all of West Bethel. Several sent gifts who were unable to attend.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met at their hall March 16, with Bro Ernest Holt acting master prolem. The W. M. Owen Wight being on the sick list. The usual order of business was taken care of. A wedding cake and a purse of money was presented to the Worthy Lecturer as her husband the Worthy Master was not there. A nice program was enjoyed. Our next meeting will be March 23 and we will have our public supper, the brothers taking charge so it will be worth bringing the whole family to, and if you go away hungry "It's your fault." We will be looking for you."

A bumper crop of easter bonnets assures plenty of easter oil for 1957. Youngsters needn't get excited, tho, as industry will need most of the oil as a lubricant and as a carburetor agent.

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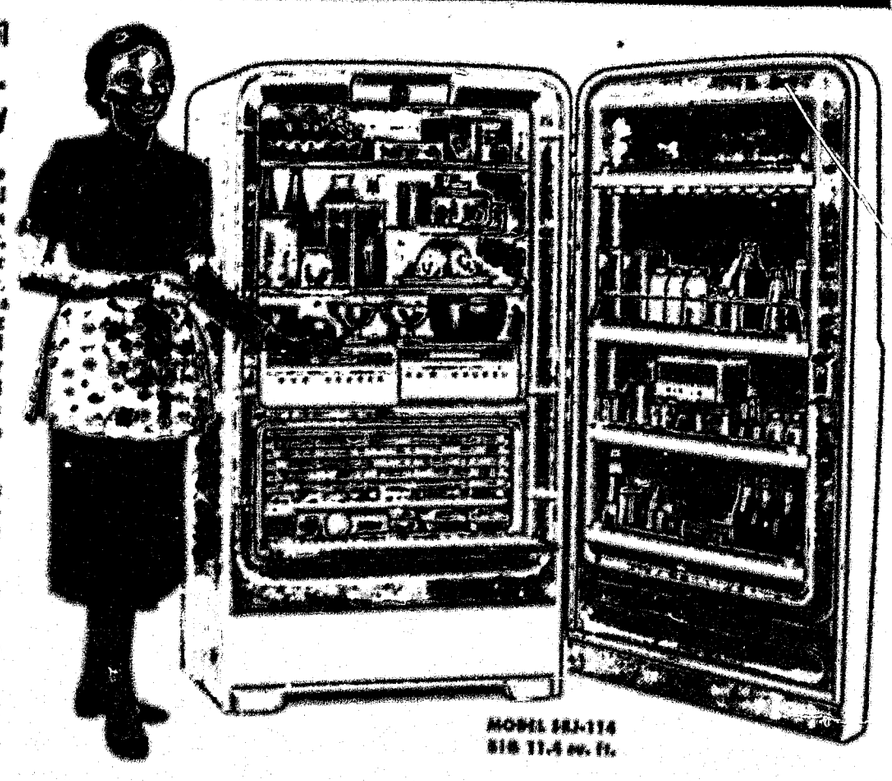

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WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Calendar Supper served by Circles 1 and 2 Thursday night in the West Parish Church was most successful with chicken pie and "all the fixins" being served to approximately 120 people.

The dining room was most attractive with each table representing a month and appropriately decorated January, New Year's Day, Mrs Theodore Emery and Mrs Robert Scott, hostesses; February, Valentine's Day, Mrs Edward Wheeler; March, St. Patrick's Day, Mrs Robert Mills; April, Easter, Mrs Paul Kelley and Mrs Dana Douglass Jr.; May, Spring, Mrs Ed Vachon and Mrs O H Anderson; June Wedding Month, Mrs John Townsend and Mrs Charles Eypper; July Patriotism, Mrs Charles Heino and Mrs Wayne Strout; August, Summer, Mrs Wendell Brewster and Mrs John Tebbets; September, Children's Days, Mrs Lawrence Lord and Miss Helen Varner; October, Hallowe'en, Miss Nellie Macdougall; November, Mrs Loton Hutchinson and Mrs Lewis Sargent; December, Mrs Harlan Hutchins and Mrs Herbert Kittredge.

Mrs Charlie Gorman as general chairman of the affair was assisted in the kitchen by Mrs Ruth Dorion, Mrs Homer Smith, Mrs Gard Brown, Mrs Bruce Bailey, Mrs Roy Barker, Mrs Dwight Morrill.

Sixteen ladies of the Women's Fellowship attended the executive board meeting at the home of Mrs Clifford Hillier Monday night. Mrs Hillier, who is director of the Oxford County Association, told of the need for counselors for the Pilgrim Camp at Litchfield for July and August. It was voted to contribute a sum of money to the Donald McInnis Fund. There was some discussion on the Strawberry Festival.

Circle Day will be Wednesday, March 27. Circle 1 will meet at the home of Mrs Murray Thurston at 7:30 p. m. Assisting will be Mrs Addison Saunders. Circle 3 will meet at the home of Mrs Herbert Rowe. Assisting will be Mrs Dana Brooks. Circle 4 will meet with Mrs Philip Chadbourne at 7:30 p m, with Mrs Howard Cole assisting.

Circles 2 and 5 met Wednesday, March 20.

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You can guess the result: Ulcers. Not bad but definitely ulcers. He underwent treatment and shortly the difficulty was conquered, and he went at his work again with the old time vigor, working now on Saturdays as well as in the evenings. By and by more ulcers. This time they took longer to conquer, and some of the treatment had to be done in the hospital. That meant relinquishing some of the fine jobs that came to him, for no one who worked for him could handle those jobs to Raymond's satisfaction.

During his hospital stay he did a good deal of reading, plus a good deal of thinking. The upshot was that when he came out he resolved not to go back to the shop any evening, not to work on Saturdays, to remember that a holiday was a day for enjoyment.

To his surprise he found that his income did not diminish. Working regular hours, and not taxing himself with overtime, he found that he could do more and better work than when pushing himself to the utmost, often carrying on with a tired feeling that was not productive of the best results.

THE LEGISLATURE

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the Portland school was to be heard by the Appropriations Committee. Both bills were entered by Sen Earl W Davis (R-Cumberland) with the objective of providing more educational opportunity for students in southern Maine. A two-year course at PJC would be credited toward degrees at U of M.

Pollution. If the "clean waters" bill became law, plants with a stream pollution abatement problem would have but one choice—to close up. This opinion was expressed by Atty. Theodore Gonya, legislative representative of the Oxford Paper Co., as he spoke in opposition to Rep Stanley P Brewer's (R-Caribou) bill at an overtime hearing before the Natural Resources Committee. On the other hand, a member of the Pennsylvania Sanitary Water Board, a Maine summer resident at Deer Isle, championed the measure. Henry I Brownback declared that he knew of no industry forced out of business by pollution laws similar to that proposed for Maine.

The current "clean waters" bill, similar to the hotly-debated pollution legislation of 1955, has a watered-down enforcement section which ostensibly eases the pressure on those required to abate pollution. The Pennsylvania witness declared that "any state benefits so greatly by cleaning up its water that it cannot afford not to do it." Gonya felt that the matter was "too important to delegate to Commissioners". The law would make every industry an outlaw he said.

Highway Report Called For. Although it came very quietly into the picture, a House order introduced by Rep John P Tarbox (R-Gouldsboro) may create some uproar before this session ends. It calls for a report from the State Highway Commission on progress of the the "accelerated" highway program. The order asks that the report be made on a county basis showing the amounts of money originally allocated, amounts expended up to Dec. 31, 1956, and the percentages. It further requires data on amounts spent in the past three years on the "accelerated" program.

A similar order in 1955 led to the revelation that only about 40% of the mileage originally planned had been built under the 1951 law, built under the program voted by the 1951 legislature and financed in part by a $22-million bond issue. The Highway Commission stated that failure to complete the whole program was due to the fact that the cost of contract construction had risen 40% and changes in standards dictated wider roads. The Commission has virtually abandoned the accelerated program, which was to be financed by gasoline tax funds.

Pensions Committee placed its "Ought to Pass" stamp on Rep. N Harold Rich's (R-Charleston) resolve provided for payment of $25 each month to Mrs. Libby.

Argue for State Ferry. Over 200 residents of Vinalhaven, Islesboro, North Haven and Swan's Island appeared at a Highway Committee hearing to ask for a state-operated ferry which would be financed by a $2½-million bond issue. Proponents of the plan declared the service would pay for itself out of tolls, make the Penobscot Bay islands desirable to tourists, permit small industry offshore, and relieve the island residents of poor service by private ferries.

The Tax on Land in Unorganized Territory would increase from $7.25 to $14.50 per $1,000 valuation under a bill from Rep Lewis C Hersey (D-Fort Fairfield). The increase would not be applicable to owners granting leases for camp sites to licensed Maine guides.

Program for the next two fiscal years is based on a new system of "sufficiency ratings". It is conceded that the Highway Commission would not relish the prospect of carrying out the Order.

Mentally Retarded Children. There was no opposition to Sen Hazel C Lord's (R-Cumberland) bill calling for expenditure of $20,000 in the next biennium to establish a travelling clinic for mentally retarded children. Under an amendment from the Portland Senator, the clinic would operate under Institutional Services rather than Health and Welfare, as originally proposed.

Speaking for the Eastern Maine Friends of Retarded Children, Mrs Ronald Levinson, Bangor, told the Appropriations Committee that the cost of training a retarded child is "peanuts compared to the cost of putting him in Pineland Hospital for life."

No opposition appeared to two related bills filed by Rep Lucia M Cormier (R-Rumford). One would set up matching funds to help communities train teachers for handicapped pupils; the other would reactivate the Maine Commission on Problems of the Mentally Retarded. The American Legion, through its department public relations officer, Dan Lambert of Orrington, supported all three bills.

Boys State Governor Visits. Governor of the 1956 Boys State, Peter T Berry of Calais, paid a visit to the Senate and House this week. He presented brief cases to Senate Secretary Chester T Winslow and House Clerk Harvey R Pease in appreciation of their help to the American Legion in citizenship training.

Katie Libby's Pension. Mrs Katie Libby, 83, of Charleston, the only known living granddaughter of a Revolutionary War soldier, was a step nearer receiving her pension this week. The Retirement and

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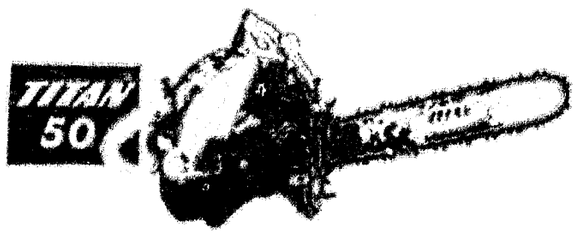

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Synopsis of the Annual Statement of FEDERAL MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Boston in the State of Massachusetts on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine Assets Bonds, $2,872,963.67; Cash & Bank Deposits, $125,941.06; Agents Balances, $260,887.64; Other Assets, $22,625.80; Total Assets, $3,812,977.97. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $168,991.00; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses $20,450.00; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $1,365,921.00; Reserved for Taxes, $117,415.00; All Other Liabilities, $818,137.07; Total Liabilities, $2,517,979.07; Special Surplus Funds, $300,000.00; Guaranty Capital Paid Up, $500,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $495,998.90; Policyholders Surplus, $1,295,998.90; Total, $3,812,977.97. N12-14

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mt. Abram Lodge, No. 81, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings. N. G., Shirley Chase. Rec. Secretary, George Lathrop.

Tuscan Rebekah Lodge, No. 84, Meets first and third Monday evenings I. O. O. F. Hall. Rec. Secretary, Addie Saunders.

Purity Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M., Dorothy York. Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 138, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Mason. Secretary, Lottie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Elwood Ireland. Secretary, Wallace Saunders.

W. S. C. S., Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Lawton. Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Pleasant Garden Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Ramona Lowe. Secretary, Nora Coolidge.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Henry Bartlett. Secretary, Mrs. H. R. Tibbetts.

Women's Fellowship of West Paris Congregational Church. Meets second Wednesdays of January, April, September, December. Pres., Mrs. Daisy Barker Bee. Mrs Robert Nichols.

Bethel Lodge, No. 91, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M., Wilbur R. Myers. Secretary, Henry H. Hastings.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Stanley Gallant. Secretary, James Hutchins.

Music Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 2 p. m. in Gould Academy Music Room. President, Florence Emery. Secretary, Jessi Richardson.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evenings. President, Burton Paine. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Clifford Miller. Secretary, Louise Lincoln.

The Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Charles Howe. Secretary, Marion Brown.

Merrill-Allen Post, No. 61, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commander Leslie Kendall. Adjutant, Jack Compton.

Merrill-Allen Unit, No. 61, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Mary Kendall. Secretary, Hilda Dunham.

Albee River Grange, No. 146, North Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Richard Sherman. Secretary, Marguerite Berglund.

Bear River Grange, No. 268, North Chapel. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Owen Wight. Secretary, Ida Wight.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital. Meets first Monday even ngs. President, Ruth Bean. Secretary, Mary Kendall.

Mt. Abram Pals and Gems Association meets third Thursday at 7:00 P. M. in Lodge Rooms Town Hall. Worthy matron, President, Arthur Tabor. Secretary, Arthur Swingler.

Methodist Happy Go Lucky Club. President, Olive Berry. Vice President, Lorraine Pearson. Secretary and Treasurer, Lois Brown.

LAFF OF THE WEEK

"Cancel that chartreuse shirt car I ordered yesterday."

UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correa. —

Mr and Mrs Ivan Carey and two sons of Sunday River were recent guests one day of her mother, Mrs Lombard.

Six members of the Extension Service met Saturday at the home of Mrs Beatrice Judkins for an all-day meeting. Several varieties of fancy breads were made, also pizza pies.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Staples of Brunswick were week end guests of her mother, Mrs George Wight, and her grandmother, Mrs Ina Barnett, during his short leave from the Navy.

Richard Eaman has finished his boot training in the Navy and is on leave before entering on his duties at Norfolk, Va. He expects to be here this week.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Lamb of Harrison spent the week end at their cottage.

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of STANDARD ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY, Detroit, in the State of Michigan on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Maine. Assets Bonds, $76,753,997.72; Stocks, $18,974,717.50; Realty Owned, $963,-876.81; Mortgage Loans on Realty, $1,976,000.22; Cash & Bank Deposits, $4,600,340.80; Agents Balances, $8,109,237.46; Other Assets, $2,907,-000.00. Total Assets, $111,177,261.50. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $37,961,774.47; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $6,102,-056.32; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $30,466,560.11; Reserve for Taxes, $1,170,012.10; All Other Liabilities, $2,206,091.50; Total Liabilities, $77,906,794.50; *Special Surplus Funds, $6,442,273.22; Capital Paid Up $4,000,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $22,828,293.78; Policyholders Surplus, $33,727,293.28. Total, $111,177,-087.50. *Voluntary reserve for unrealized appreciation of stock investments other than affiliates. N12-14

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE CO., Boston in the State of Massachusetts on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine Assets Bonds, $374,907,308; Stocks, $11,-666,180; Realty Owned, $7,669,191; Cash & Bank Deposits, $17,566,766; Agents Balances, $37,982,513; Other Assets, $8,812,513. Total Assets, $461,972,796. Liabilities, Surplus etc. Reserve for Losses, $256,966,-714; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $37,211,309; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $67,000,967; Reserve for Taxes, $10,694,901; All Other Liabilities, $17,944,307; Total Liabilities, $379,669,198; Special Surplus Funds, $26,304,307; Capital Paid Up, $1,200,000; Unassigned Funds, $54,799,441; Policyholders Surplus, $82,791,749. Total, $461,-972,796. N12-14

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of ALLSTATE INSURANCE CO., Skokie in the State of Illinois on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine. Assets. Bonds, $14,-926,187.44; Stocks, $3,322,088.00; Cash & Bank Deposits, $954,210.70; Agents Balances, $13,940,877.46; Other Assets, $183,264.99, Total Assets, $33,369,528.59. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $9,-207.00; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $23,827.00; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $22,152,868.59; Reserve for Taxes, $695,142.46; All Other Liabilities, $36,247.91; Total Liabilities, $24,266,117.51; Capital Paid Up, $1,000,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $7,903,410.08; Policyholders Surplus, $8,903,410.08; Total, $33,-369,528.59. N12-14

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and neighbors for the many nice cards and flowers received while I was in the hospital; also many thanks to my neighbors for the sunshine box since my return home.

Irene L. Wilson

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of PLANET INSURANCE COMPANY, Detroit in the State of Michigan on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Maine. Assets. Bonds, $8,823,784.91; Stocks, $991,365.00; Cash & Bank Deposits, $471,464.78; Agents Balances, $733,170.88; Other Assets, $396,178.48; Total Assets, $12,215,963.75. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $4,218,187.17; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $473,617.37; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $3,337,428.90; Reserve for Taxes, $162,966.90; All Other Liabilities, $192,304.50; Total Liabilities, $8,384,342.84; *Special Surplus Funds, $347,808.94; Capital Paid Up, $1,000,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $2,484,309.13; Policyholders Surplus, $3,831,810.11; Total, $12,-215,963.75. *Voluntary reserve for unrealized appreciation of stock investments. N12-14

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of MUTUAL BENEFIT HEALTH & ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION, Omaha in the State of Nebraska on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Insurance Department of the State of Maine. Assets. Bonds, $125,189,915.15; Stocks, $31,585,326.-75; Cash & Bank Deposits, $14,252,-636.56; Agents Balances, $2,652,462-37; Other Assets, $760,217.06; Total Assets, $177,539,858.42. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $67,546,169.25; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $824,243.47; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $43,758,391.63; Reserve for Taxes, $2,757,911.50; All Other Liabilities, $3,593,015.50; Total Liabilities, $119,-479,736.43; Special Surplus Funds, $12,000,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $46,060,121.99; Policyholders Surplus, $58,060,121.99; Total, $177,539,858.42. N12-14

Synopsis of the Annual Statement of LIBERTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Boston in the State of Massachusetts on Dec. 31, 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine. Assets. Bonds, $25,325,826.35; Stocks, $7,550,588.50; Cash & Bank Deposits, $1,869,490.51; Agents Balances, $2,105,615.54; Other Assets, $803,705.97; Total Assets, $50,745,-236.37. Liabilities, Surplus, etc. Reserve for Losses, $3,887,048.00; Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses, $481,000.00; Reserve for Unearned Premiums, $23,608,004.00; Reserve for Taxes, $782,000.00; All Other Liabilities, $1,236,746.53; Total Liabilities, $30,004,798.53; Special Surplus Funds, $5,823,179.00; Guaranty Fund, $750,000.00; Unassigned Funds, $9,967,260.84; Policyholders Surplus, $16,740,427.84; Total, $50,745,226.37. N12-14

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Correa. —

Mr and Mrs Clare Bartlett returned home last week from St. Petersburg, Fla., where they spent the winter months. They were in Boston a few days this week with Miss Shirley Bartlett who has finished her nurse's training. Miss Bartlett will leave later this month for Washington, D. C.

Mrs Fred Haines has received word that her son and wife, Mr and Mrs Lendell Nevens, are receiving congratulations on the birth of another son on March 12 at Lorch-mont, N. Y.

Mr and Mrs Dana Brooks, Mr and Mrs Herbert Rowe, Miss Eva Bean, Mrs Edith K Howe of Bethel were guests of Mr and Mrs Rodney Howe Friday when they were shown slides by Mrs Rudolph Honkala on Antartica and the west.

Mr and Mrs Rodney Howe and family were in Andover, Sunday.

Clark Bartlett left Tuesday for South Paris and Portland where he is to be inducted into the army.

Mr and Mrs Clifton Bean of Rumford; Mr and Mrs Earl Graves of West Bethel; John Hobson and Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk; Miss Dorothy Bartlett of Boston; Mr and Mrs David Littlefield, Marlene, Stanley, and Ginger Littlefield; Mr and Mrs Charles Bourne, Jonathan and Charles, Jr., of Ogunquit were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett.

Mrs Beatrice Kimball of Lewiston called on Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings Sunday.

Ormie Farwell has been visiting Mr and Mrs Willard Farwell this week.

Mr and Mrs Vinton Tibbetts of West Peru; Mr and Mrs Arthur Shackford of Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Crockett.

Mr and Mrs Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner were Monday visitors of Mr and Mrs David Foster.

Alder River Grange #145 held a regular meeting on March 15 with 12 members present. It was voted to postpone buying a record player until next fall. Worthy Master Richard Stevens suggested getting the deputy, Roy Wardwell of Albany, to inspect the grange at the next meeting on April 5. The grange practiced draping the charter and balloting.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Clark and family and Mrs Frank Cragin of Westbrook called on the Malcolm Mundt's Sunday.

Florence Blake of Auburn was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Ernest Blake.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hamlin and boys of Falmouth Foreside visited at the homes of the Richard Davis' and Norman Dock's.

WEST GREENWOOD

— Mrs. P. W. Crockett, Correspondent —

Mrs Alden Wilson returned home from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, March 9.

Mr and Mrs B N Henley of Norway called at Mrs Lester Bunker's recently.

Mr and Mrs Arther Kennedy of Gorham, N. H., called at Alden Wilson's one evening last week.

Mr and Mrs W C Hancock of West Bethel called at Paul Croteau's Saturday.

Mrs B G Henley and daughter Linda of Machanic Falls called at Mrs Lester Bunker's recently.

J H Deegan called at Joe Deegan's, Sunday.

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YOUR WASHINGTON REPORT

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that states which did not ban billboards within 750 feet of these highways would be deprived of their full alotment of federal funds.

The recent action of the Maryland legislature in practically killing anti-billboard legislation gives us a good example of what will happen if this matter is left up to the states. The Maryland legislation, which was sponsored by the State Roads Commission, would have barred billboards from within 660 feet of limited access highways.

The chairman of this commission told me that he felt public opinion was behind billboard control, and judging from my mail, I agree with him. This contention was fortified by the results of a recent nation-wide poll appearing in a Baltimore paper. This poll showed that almost 70 per cent of the people favor such action. Many of those interviewed felt billboards obstruct scenic beauty and constitute a traffic hazard.

I have learned that only three states—Maine, Pennsylvania and New York—expressly prohibit billboards on certain highways at present. The people want billboard control, and it's going to be up to Congress to get it for them.

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Playing Politics—The Democrats in the House of Representatives gave the nation a sorry example of playing politics last week when they passed a resolution calling upon President Eisenhower to recommend cuts in his fiscal 1958 budget.

Of course, everyone is in favor of reducing this budget if possible. But according to our Constitution, Congress has completed an absolute responsibility in appropriating money. It will receive any cooperation it needs from the Budget Bureau without passing any resolutions.

This entirely unprecedented action was taken by the Democrats to gain political advantage and embarrass our President. Moreover, the Democratic concern for economy comes rather late considering that the principle of tax and tax, spend and spend was established by the Roosevelt Administration. The Democratic majorities in Congress gave little encouragement and support in all the years that we were trying to cut expenses under Roosevelt and Truman.

Its significant that the very competent staff of investigators which the Republicans had employed on the House Appropriations Committee in the Republican 80th Congress ('47-'48) was dissipated as soon as the Democrats came back into power in 1949.

As Congressman Charles Halleck (R-Ind.) pointed out during floor debate on the resolution, the Republicans went ahead on their own and cut over $6 billion from Truman's budget on the 80th Congress and slashed $10 billion from his budget again in the 83rd Congress ('53-'54). But now the Democrats want to pass the buck to the President, despite what our Constitution says.

Their hypocritical attitude toward economy is manifest in their corn price bill which we defeated last week. This would have cost the taxpayers almost $1 billion.

Synopsis of the annual statement of
NORTHERN SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY, INC.
Montpelier, Vermont
on the 31st day of December 1956 made to the Insurance Department of the State of Maine.

ASSETS

Bonds	$315,554.00
Stocks	13,930.00
Cash and Bank Deposits	24,780.02
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	7,066.56
Other Assets	10,939.50
Total Assets	$372,290.07

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS

Reserve for Losses	$7,307.00
Loss Adjustment Expenses	511.49
Unearned Premiums	106,484.36
Taxes	3,272.46
All Other Liabilities	1,436.36
Total Liabilities	$118,961.67
Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit	$200,000.00
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	53,328.40
Surplus as Regards Policyholders	$253,328.40
11-13 Total	$372,290.07

Synopsis of the annual statement of
FARM BUREAU MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY
Concord, New Hampshire
on the 31st day of December 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of New Hampshire

ASSETS

Bonds	$2,736,974.50
Stocks	9,404.00
Real Estate Owned	72,081.34
Cash and Bank Deposits	536,110.92
Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums	98,819.09
Other Assets	27,242.27
Total Assets	$3,484,627.36

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS

Reserve for Losses	$657,461.12
Loss Adjustment Expenses	84,668.46
Unearned Premiums	485,822.22
Taxes	79,268.19
All Other Liabilities	21,954.85
Total Liabilities	$1,329,468.72
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	2,155,158.64
Surplus as Regards Policyholders	$2,155,158.64
11-13 Total	$3,484,627.36

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NEWRY

Miss Carrie Wight went to Portland, Monday.

Mrs George Learned has returned from Florida, while there she visited her son, George Jr.

Mr and Mrs Mark Mills and daughter from Grover Hill visited at Mrs Gertrude Hanscom's, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Paul Wight and Mr and Mrs Owen Wight attended the Carnival Ball at Andover Saturday night.

Lester Lane was in Rumford on Tuesday.

Rodney Hanscom and family visited at the Hanscom home one evening last week.

Mr and Mrs Townsend from Andover called at Fred Auger's, Sunday.

There will be a public supper at Bear River Grange Hall, Saturday evening, March 23rd, sponsored by the Grange.

Robert Davis and Norman Davis attended the meeting of the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Society at home of Mr and Mrs Alex Robinson at Rumford, Monday evening.

Herbert Morton, Jr., and Paul Wight attended the Highway Safety meeting at Norway, Tuesday evening.

SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent

Miss Lorraine Leighton and Richard Lapham, were at home sick several days last week.

Mr and Mrs Earlon Kenlston and Liona were in Portland Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Kimball and girls were in Auburn Saturday and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Edroy Curtis, Mechanic Falls.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Arsenault and children of Gorham, N. H. were visiting relatives here Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Willis Bean and children spent the week end with relatives in Rangeley.

Mrs Daniel Scribner and baby who have been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Tom Snyder, returned to Harrison, Wednesday.

Visitors at Ralph Kimball's Sunday were Mr and Mrs Paul Polsson, Mr and Mrs Bill Polsson, Miss Sue Polsson and Mrs Rheault of Berlin, Mrs Dot Orino of Gorham, Mr and Mrs George Capper and son, Billy, of Lewiston.

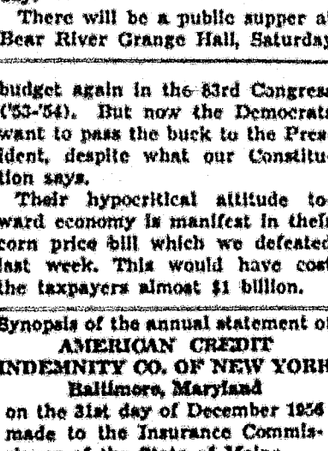
Synopsis of the annual statement of
AMERICAN CREDIT INDEMNITY CO. OF NEW YORK
Baltimore, Maryland
on the 31st day of December 1956 made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine

ASSETS

Bonds	$12,547,808.81
Stocks	2,835,800.46
Cash and Bank Deposits	1,424,509.82
Other Assets	637,690.88
Total Assets	$17,445,809.97

LIABILITIES, SURPLUS AND OTHER FUNDS

Reserve for Losses	$1,830,590.98
Loss Adjustment Expenses	134,000.00
Unearned Premiums	2,158,892.66
Taxes	720,914.85
All Other Liabilities	356,508.15
Total Liabilities	$5,231,306.44
Special Surplus Funds	$327,101.23
Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit	1,500,000.00
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	10,187,502.14
Surplus as Regards Policyholders	$12,214,603.23
11-13 Total	$17,445,809.97



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MAGALLOWAY

Mrs Bessie Harvey, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Lawrenre Parsons have gone on a vacation to California and Mexico. Mr Parsons is a head foreman of the Brown Company and resides at the Brown Farm.

Mrs Harriette Ingraham of Augusta spent Sunday with her stepfather, Joseph Mooney.

Mr and Mrs Lewis Olson are both much better in health. Mr Olson is able to go to the barn to care for his cattle.

The Wilson's Mills annual town meeting was held Tuesday evening and the Magalloway one will be held on March 23.

There is a ban on the roads so no trucks are hauling lumber.

Mr and Mrs George Stranger and son, Joseph visited her grandfather, Fred Bennett, Sunday.

Robert Ferris who has been ill is feeling some better.

Howard Woodward of Berlin was in Magalloway Sunday running lines between the Cameron Harvey farms.

Mrs Harry Little is very seriously ill at the Stewartstown hospital. She is a life-long resident of Errol.

Mrs Madeline Mathieson is ill with the "flu" at the home of her daughter Mrs Ewen Cameron.

Mrs Jean Howard and her three sons, all of Colebrook, spent Sunday with her father, Ewen Cameron. Two of his sons, Eric and Emery, both of Oquossoc, also visited him Sunday.

Stanley West and Anita Turner were home from the Berlin High School over the week end and Wendell Bragg was home from Orono.

Harry Hickle, publisher and printer of the Colebrook Sentinel, dropped dead at his work last Friday.

SKILLINGSTON

Mrs. Ola Tifft, Corres.

Miss Beverly Onofrio was home from Boston over the week end.

Edward Hutchins and daughter of Rochester, Vt., called at the Tiffts' Monday.

Mrs Lila Brown spent last Monday with Mrs Irene Wilson at West Greenwood.

Mr and Mrs George McAllister were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Lewis Cole Jr.

Mrs Harold Young substituted at the West Bethel school two days last week.

Mrs Irene Cotton and daughter, Mrs Phyllis Copt, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Lewis Cole and family.

Mrs Lillian Carter and daughter and Edwin Gardner called at George McAllister's Sunday evening.

Mrs Harold Young and Mrs Harold Carver were in Lewiston Saturday.

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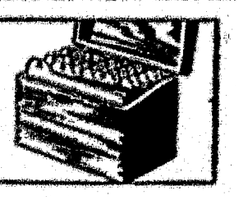


10 YEARS AGO

Through a fund raised by parents, businessmen and friends of Gould Academy, the varsity basketball squad with their coach and manager went on a three-day trip to Boston. They saw the games of the New England tournament at Boston Garden.

Bethel Grammar School finished the second year of basketball. They had a highly successful season being undefeated in competition with grammar school foes.

Deaths: Arthur D Bean, George Wheeler.

50 YEARS AGO

The Bethel Band played at the annual supper of the Mount Abram Fish and Game Association at Locke Mills.

Richard Davis took a course in first aid practice at New York State College of Forestry.

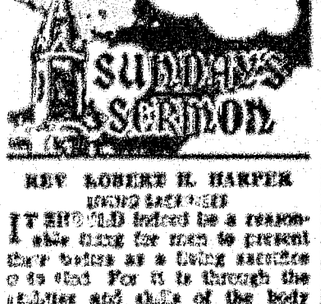
Deaths: Ernest Chapman, Mrs Mary Jane Bearce.

75 YEARS AGO

One of the large trees in front of Maple Inn was removed.

J B Ham Co. purchased the Bean Grain Co. building near the GTR station.

Deaths: Mrs Florence Aubin, Harlan Bean.



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(NOT EACH ONE)

IT SHOULD indeed be a reasonable thing for men to present their bodies as a living sacrifice unto God. For it is through the actions and skills of the body that good deeds are done and men are led to glorify the Father in heaven. The feet must be obedient to the hest of love to go upon errands of helpfulness, the hand must be rich with love and kindness to minister in the needy hour, and lips and tongue must be sanctified to sing unto God and say kind words to men.

It is a living sacrifice that God calls upon us to give. The consecrated and the good of men have been fulfilled by the best sacrifices of men, by the deeds of men who have given their lives in a great cause and to bring life and health to others.

Is it not then a reasonable thing that men should be called upon to present their bodies as living sacrifices to Christ, to live for Him one day and all the years of their life. And remember that God requires no less than this of all who would come unto Him. And to make such sacrifices will involve pain and joy, overcome

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